

TENNESSEE GENERAL ASSEMBLY
FISCAL REVIEW COMMITTEE



FISCAL NOTE

SB 415 - HB 882

February 21, 2021

SUMMARY OF BILL: Creates the *Keep Kids in School Act*. Beginning January 1, 2022, requires the Department of Education (DOE) to assist local boards of education and charter school governing bodies with the development of discipline policies and practices aimed to keep students in school and out of the criminal justice system. Authorizes DOE to provide training and professional development opportunities related to discipline policies. Requires DOE to collect and analyze certain disciplinary data and issue an annual report beginning on January 15, 2023.

ESTIMATED FISCAL IMPACT:

NOT SIGNIFICANT

Assumptions:

- DOE will be able to comply with the proposed legislation within existing resources such that the impact to state expenditures is estimated to be not significant.
- Any impact on local government to develop and implement such policies and practices is estimated to be not significant.

CERTIFICATION:

The information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bojan Savic".

Bojan Savic, Interim Executive Director

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